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Motor Vehicle Stop Leads to Two Arrests in Connection with Catalytic Converter Thefts

On December 17, 2021, at approximately 12:15 AM, Manchester Police made a motor vehicle stop at the intersection of Belmont and Summer Streets.

The driver was identified as 50 year old Juan Negrón of Manchester and the passenger was identified as 30 year old John Barber, also of Manchester.

Both Negrón and Barber were confirmed to have active arrests warrants stemming from incidents involving the theft of catalytic converters that happened in the past month.

On November 25, 2021, 3 vehicles parked at 700 Harvey Rd had their catalytic converters stolen. Damage to the vehicles totaled approximately \$6000. Also on December 2, 2021 a car parked at Elliot Hospital was vandalized and the catalytic converter was partially disconnected.

Barber was charged with Theft by Unauthorized Taking and Criminal Mischief. Negrón was charged with Theft by Unauthorized Taking, Criminal Mischief and Criminal Liability.



Negrón



Barber

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